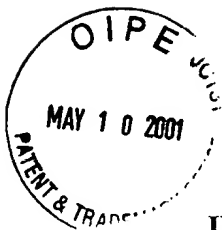


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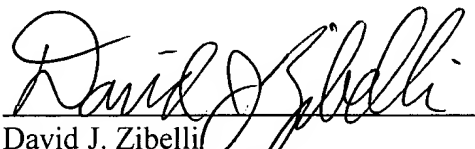
In response to the Restriction Requirement dated April 12, 2001, applicants hereby elect Group I, claims 1-34 and 39-48 drawn to a memory device.

Should the Examiner have any questions concerning this matter, he is invited to contact the applicant's undersigned attorney at the telephone listed below.

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